

Appendix C NPDES Combined Form 1 & 2C National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System
Permit Application for a Facility Discharging Wastewater from Manufacturing and Commercial Operations.
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Permit Application for a Facility Discharging Wastewater from
Manufacturing and Commercial Operations.

This Area is For Agency Use

NPDES Number NE	IIS Number	Date Rec'd
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1. Facility Information

A. Owner of Facility (Permittee)

AltEn, LLC

Street 5225 Renner Road

City Shawnee State Kansas Zip 66217

B. Name of Facility

AltEn, LLC

C. Facility Contact Person

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Ph

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Email

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D. Facility Mailing Address

Street 1344 County Road

City Mead State NE Zip 68041

E. Facility Location (if different from above)

Street

City State Zip

F. Facility Legal Description

N ¼ of the SW ¼, Section 12, Township 14 N, Range 8E (E or W), Saunders County

G. Business Activity and Facility Operations (continued on next page)

Standard Industrial Classification (SIC) Code(s) Applicable to the Facility 2869

Description of Operations and Services:

Former denatured ethanol production. Operations have currently ended.

2. Wastewater Sources (check applicable items)

A. Application Status (check one)

☒ NPDES Permit Reapplication for Existing Source ☐ NPDES Permit Application for New Source

B. Additional Forms Required

<input type="checkbox"/> Facility discharging domestic wastewater	Submit NPDES Form 2A
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Facility discharging industrial wastewater	Submit NPDES Form 2C
<input type="checkbox"/> Facility discharging nonprocess wastewater	Submit NPDES Form 2E
<input type="checkbox"/> Facility is a fish hatchery or fish farm	Submit NPDES Form 2B
<input type="checkbox"/> Industrial facility discharging stormwater	Submit NPDES Form 2F
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Land application of treated effluent	Submit Land Application Form

3. Other Existing Environmental Permits

Permit Number

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NPDES (discharge to surface water)	NE0137634
<input type="checkbox"/> NPP (Nebraska Pretreatment Permit)	
<input type="checkbox"/> UIC (underground injection of fluids)	
<input type="checkbox"/> RCRA (hazardous waste)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Air Permit	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	

4. Map

Attach to this application a topographic map (7.5 minute USGS) of the area extending to at least one mile beyond property boundaries. The map must show the outline of the facility, the location of each of its existing and proposed intake and discharge structures, each of its hazardous waste treatment, storage, or disposal facilities, and each well where it injects fluids underground. Include all springs, rivers, and other surface water bodies in the map area.

5. Facility Flow Diagram

Attach a line drawing showing the water flow through the facility. The diagram must show all regulated and non-regulated process wastewater flows, and all points of discharge to sanitary sewer, storm sewers, surface waters, septic tanks, injection wells, or other discharge points including floor drains. Indicate sources of intake water, operations contributing wastewater to the effluent, and wastewater treatment units along with each discharge outfall. Construct a water balance on the line drawing by showing average flows between intakes, operations, treatment units, and outfalls.

6. Process Wastewater Treatment System Information

A. Does the process wastewater undergo treatment before discharge to the receiving water?

☒ Yes ☐ No

Provide a description of the wastewater treatment process. Include a description of the physical, chemical, or biological treatment processes used to treat the wastewater. (a schematic diagram of the treatment process should also be provided)

Wastewater will be treated by coagulation, clarification, filtration, and activated carbon

Treated water will be land applied to receiving fields

No treated water will be discharged to a receiving water body

Maximum Daily Flow (MGD) 1.44 (Flow to Fields)

Design Daily Flow (MGD) 1.0 (Flow to Fields)

Average Daily Flow (MGD) 1.0 (Flow to Fields)

Design Maximum Flow (MGD) 1.44 (Flow to Fields)

B. Is there any sludge (i.e. any solid, semisolid, or liquid waste) generated from the process wastewater treatment system?

☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, provide an attachment specifying sludge treatment and disposal practices.

Sludge generated will be returned to lagoons on site

C. Does the treatment works land-apply treated wastewater?

☒ Yes (If yes, request a separate application form) ☐ No

7. Operator Information

A. Treatment Facility Operator (Last, First,) and Phone Number

Ph Email

Operator Certification Number Operator Class

B. Operator's Mailing Address

Street

City State Zip

C. Operation/Maintenance Performed by Contractor(s)

Are any operational or maintenance aspects (related to wastewater treatment and effluent quality) of the treatment works the responsibility of a contractor? ☐ yes ☐ no If yes provide the following

Name Ph Email

Street

City State Zip

Responsibilities of contractor

D. Compliance Sampling

Is compliance sampling of the discharge effluent the responsibility of a contract laboratory? _____ yes _____ X no If yes provide the following

Name _____ Ph _____ Email _____

Street _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Responsibilities of laboratory _____

8. "Non-Discharged" Wastes

Provide descriptions and quantities of wastes generated that are not discharged to the POTW or Waters of the State (provide attachment if more space is needed). Also describe how these wastes are disposed of:

9. Outfall Information

How many separate outfalls discharge to the receiving waters? _____ 3 _____

A. Location of Outfall(s) (Include an attachment to the permit for the following information if there are more than three outfalls).

Outfall _____ 001 _____

NE Quarter, SW Quarter, Section _____ 12 _____, Township _____ 14 _____ North, Range _____ 08 (East) West), _____ Saunders _____ County, NE

Latitude (deg. _____ 41 _____ min. _____ 11 _____ sec. _____ 48 _____) Longitude (deg. _____ 96 _____ min. _____ 28 _____ sec. _____ 37 _____)

Name of receiving waters _____ Unnamed tributary of Clear Creek (No discharge from site to this outfall anticipated at this time)

Name of watershed if known _____

Provide a description of all operations contributing wastewater to the effluent to include both process and nonprocess wastewater (e.g. noncontact or sanitary) and the average flows contributed by each process.

Operation _____ NA _____ Flow _____ Operation _____ Flow _____

Operation _____ Flow _____ Operation _____ Flow _____

Outfall _____ 002 _____

NE Quarter, SW Quarter, Section _____ 11/12 _____ Township _____ 14 _____ North, Range _____ 09 (East) West), _____ Saunders _____ County, NE

Latitude (deg. _____ min. _____ sec. _____) Longitude (deg. _____ min. _____ sec. _____)

Name of receiving waters _____ Not Applicable (land applied)

Name of watershed if known _____

Provide a description of all operations contributing wastewater to the effluent to include both process and nonprocess wastewater (e.g. noncontact or sanitary) and the average flows contributed by each process.

Operation _____ NA _____ Flow _____ Operation _____ Flow _____

Operation _____ Flow _____ Operation _____ Flow _____

Outfall 003

NE Quarter, SW Quarter, Section 12, Township 14 North, Range 08 (East / West), Suanders County, NE

Latitude (deg. min. sec) Longitude (deg. min. sec)

Name of receiving waters Not applicable (land applied)

Name of watershed if known

Provide a description of all operations contributing wastewater to the effluent to include both process and nonprocess wastewater (e.g. noncontact or sanitary) and the average flows contributed by each process.

Operation See Attachment 1 Flow Operation Flow

Operation Flow Operation Flow

B. Except for storm runoff, leaks or spills, are any of the discharges described above intermittent or batch? No

If yes, provide the following information:

Outfall Number	Operations Contributing Flow	Frequency (specify averages)		Flow Rate (in MGD)		Total Volume (in gal.)		Duration in Days
		days/week	months/yr	average	maximum	average	maximum	

10. Production

A. Does an Effluent Guideline limitation or standard apply to your facility? (e.g. metal finishing, fertilizer manufacturing, etc)

Yes (complete item 10 B below)

No X (go to Section 11)

B. Are the limitations in the applicable Effluent Guideline expressed in terms of production or other measure of operation? (e.g., pounds of pollutant per million pounds of production)

Yes (complete table below)

No (go to Section 11)

Affected Outfalls	Quantity per Day	Units of Measure	Specify Operation, Product, or Materials

11. Intake and Effluent Characteristics

A. List the sources of intake water None

Source	Gallons per Day (gpd)
Municipal System	_____
Ground Water	_____
Other (Specify)	_____
Total	_____

B. Which (if any) industrial category listed in Attachment A, Table I does your facility fall under? None

Provide an attachment to this application that lists all the pollutants listed in Attachment A, Tables II-V, which you know or have reason to believe are or may be discharged from any outfall. Also provide the source of the pollutants, the outfall they are discharged from and approximate amount discharged. If you have analytical results for any of these pollutants, please attach these as well. NDEQ may require additional information and/or analysis of these pollutants at a later date.

C. Provide the results of at least one analysis for every pollutant in this table for each outfall. This testing may be waived by the NDEQ in some circumstances or additional tests may be required by NDEQ to complete the application process. (provide an attachment for additional outfalls)

Outfall Number:				
Pollutant	Units	Maximum daily value	Average monthly value	No. of analyses
Biochemical oxygen demand (BOD)	mg/L			
Chemical oxygen demand (COD)	mg/L			
Total organic carbon (TOC)	mg/L			
Ammonia (as N)	mg/L			
Flow	MGD			
Temperature	° F			
pH	S.U.	Maximum =	Minimum =	

12. Other Information

Use the space below to expand upon any of the above questions or to bring to the attention of the reviewer any other information you feel should be considered in establishing permit limitations for the facility.

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13. Certification (see Signatory Authorization Form for designation of Cognizant Official)

I certify that I am familiar with the information contained in the application, that to the best of my knowledge and belief such information is true, complete, and accurate, and if this permit is granted, I agree to abide by the Nebraska Environmental Protection Act (Neb. Rev. Stat. Secs. 81-1501 et. seq. as amended to date) and all rules, regulations, orders, decisions promulgated there under, and subject to any legitimate appeal available to the applicant under the Act

Cognizant Official's Signature _____

Ex. 4 CBI

Date 12-23-20

Cognizant Official's Printed Name

Ex. 4 CBI

Title President

Attachment A

Table I--Testing Requirements for Organic Toxic Pollutants by Industrial Category for Existing Dischargers				
GC/MS Fraction \1\				
Industrial category	Volatile	Acid	Base/ neutral	Pesticide
Adhesives and Sealants.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Aluminum Forming.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Auto and Other Laundries.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Battery Manufacturing.....	\2\	.....	\2\	.....
Coal Mining.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Coil Coating.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Copper Forming.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Electric and Electronic Components.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Electroplating.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Explosives Manufacturing.....	.....	\2\	\2\	.....
Foundries.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Gum and Wood Chemicals.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Inorganic Chemicals Manufacturing	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Iron and Steel Manufacturing....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Leather Tanning and Finishing....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Mechanical Products Manufacturing	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Nonferrous Metals Manufacturing..	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Ore Mining.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Organic Chemicals Manufacturing..	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Paint and Ink Formulation.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Pesticides.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Petroleum Refining.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Pharmaceutical Preparations.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Photographic Equipment and Supplies.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Plastic and Synthetic Materials Manufacturing.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Plastic Processing.....	\2\	.....	.....	.....
Porcelain Enameling.....	\2\	.....	\2\	\2\
Printing and Publishing.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Pulp and Paper Mills.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Rubber Processing.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Soap and Detergent Manufacturing.	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Steam Electric Power Plants.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	.....
Textile Mills.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
Timber Products Processing.....	\2\	\2\	\2\	\2\
\1\ The toxic pollutants in each fraction are listed in Table II. \2\ Testing may be required.				

Attachment A

**Table II--Organic Toxic Pollutants in Each of Four Fractions in Analysis
by Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectroscopy (GS/MS) (continued on next page)**

Volatiles	
1V acrolein	17V 1,2-dichloropropane
2V acrylonitrile	18V 1,3-dichloropropylene
3V benzene	19V ethylbenzene
5V bromoform	20V methyl bromide
6V carbon tetrachloride	21V methyl chloride
7V chlorobenzene	22V methylene chloride
8V chlorodibromomethane	23V 1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane
9V chloroethane	24V tetrachloroethylene
10V 2-chloroethylvinyl ether	25V toluene
11V chloroform	26V 1,2-trans-dichloroethylene
12V dichlorobromomethane	27V 1,1,1-trichloroethane
14V 1,1-dichloroethane	28V 1,1,2-trichloroethane
15V 1,2-dichloroethane	29V trichloroethylene
16V 1,1-dichloroethylene	31V vinyl chloride
Acid Compounds	
1A 2-chlorophenol	7A 4-nitrophenol
2A 2,4-dichlorophenol	8A p-chloro-m-cresol
3A 2,4-dimethylphenol	9A pentachlorophenol
4A 4,6-dinitro-o-cresol	10A phenol
5A 2,4-dinitrophenol	11A 2,4,6-trichlorophenol
6A 2-nitrophenol	
Base/Neutral (continued on next page)	
1B acenaphthene	16B 2-chloronaphthalene
2B acenaphthylene	17B 4-chlorophenyl phenyl ether
3B anthracene	18B chrysene
4B benzidine	19B dibenzo(a,h)anthracene
5B benzo(a)anthracene	20B 1,2-dichlorobenzene
6B benzo(a)pyrene	21B 1,3-dichlorobenzene
7B 3,4-benzofluoranthene	22B 1,4-dichlorobenzene
8B benzo(ghi)perylene	23B 3,3'-dichlorobenzidine
9B benzo(k)fluoranthene	24B diethyl phthalate
10B bis(2-chloroethoxy)methane	25B dimethyl phthalate
11B bis(2-chloroethyl)ether	26B di-n-butyl phthalate
12B bis(2-chloroisopropyl)ether	27B 2,4-dinitrotoluene
13B bis (2-ethylhexyl)phthalate	28B 2,6-dinitrotoluene
14B 4-bromophenyl phenyl ether	29B di-n-octyl phthalate
15B butylbenzyl phthalate	30B 1,2-diphenylhydrazine (as azobenzene)

Attachment A

**Table II--Organic Toxic Pollutants in Each of Four Fractions in Analysis
by Gas Chromatography/Mass Spectroscopy (GS/MS) (continued)**

Base/Neutral (continued)	
31B fluoranthene	39B naphthalene
32B fluorene	40B nitrobenzene
33B hexachlorobenzene	41B N-nitrosodimethylamine
34B hexachlorobutadiene	42B N-nitrosodi-n-propylamine
35B hexachlorocyclopentadiene	43B N-nitrosodiphenylamine
36B hexachloroethane	44B phenanthrene
37B indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	45B pyrene
38B isophorone	46B 1,2,4-trichlorobenzene
Pesticides	
1P aldrin	14P endrin
2P alpha-BHC	15P endrin aldehyde
3P beta-BHC	16P heptachlor
4P gamma-BHC	17P heptachlor epoxide
5P delta-BHC	18P PCB-1242
6P chlordane	19P PCB-1254
7P 4,4'-DDT	20P PCB-1221
8P 4,4'-DDE	21P PCB-1232
9P 4,4'-DDD	22P PCB-1248
10P dieldrin	23P PCB-1260
11P alpha-endosulfan	24P PCB-1016
12P beta-endosulfan	25P toxaphene
13P endosulfan sulfate	

Table III--Other Toxic Pollutants (Metals and Cyanide) and Total Phenols

Antimony, Total	Nickel, Total
Arsenic, Total	Selenium, Total
Beryllium, Total	Silver, Total
Cadmium, Total	Thallium, Total
Chromium, Total	Zinc, Total
Copper, Total	Cyanide, Total
Lead, Total	Phenols, Total
Mercury, Total	

Attachment A

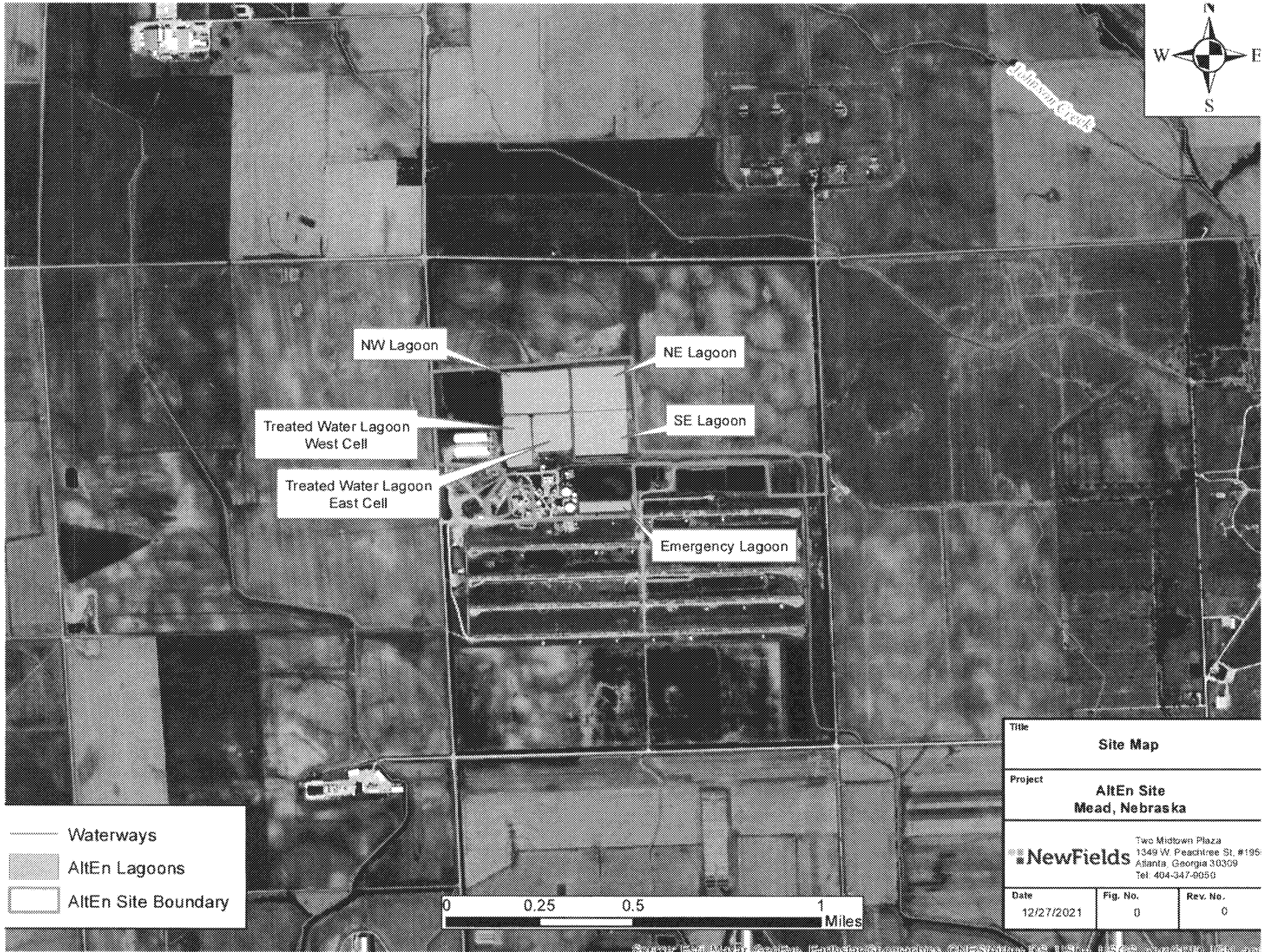
Table IV--Conventional and Nonconventional Pollutants

Bromide	Sulfite
Chlorine, Total Residual	Surfactants
Color	Aluminum, Total
Fecal Coliform	Barium, Total
Fluoride	Boron, Total
Nitrate-Nitrite	Cobalt, Total
Nitrogen, Total Organic	Iron, Total
Oil and Grease	Magnesium, Total
Phosphorus, Total	Molybdenum, Total
Radioactivity	Manganese, Total
Sulfate	Tin, Total
Sulfide	Titanium, Total

Attachment A

**Table V--Toxic Pollutants and Hazardous Substances Required To Be
Identified by Existing Dischargers if Expected To Be Present**

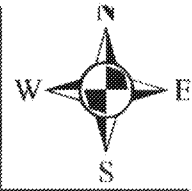
Toxic Pollutants	
Asbestos	
Hazardous Substances	
Acetaldehyde	Kelthane
Allyl alcohol	Kepone
Allyl chloride	Malathion
Amyl acetate	Mercaptodimethur
Aniline	Methoxychlor
Benzonitrile	Methyl mercaptan
Benzyl chloride	Methyl methacrylate
Butyl acetate	Methyl parathion
Butylamine	Mevinphos
Captan	Mexacarbate
Carbaryl	Monoethyl amine
Carbofuran	Monomethyl amine
Carbon disulfide	Naled
Chlorpyrifos	Napthenic acid
Coumaphos	Nitrotoluene
Cresol	Parathion
Crotonaldehyde	PhenoIsulfanate
Cyclohexane	Phosgene
2,4-D (2,4-Dichlorophenoxy acetic acid)	Propargite
Diazinon	Propylene oxide
Dicamba	Pyrethrins
Dichlobenil	Quinoline
Dichlone	Resorcinol
2,2-Dichloropropionic acid	Strontium
Dichlorvos	Strychnine
Diethyl amine	Styrene
Dimethyl amine	2,4,5-T (2,4,5-Trichlorophenoxy acetic acid)
Dinitrobenzene	TDE (Tetrachlorodiphenylethane)
Diquat	2,4,5-TP [2-(2,4,5-Trichlorophenoxy) propanoic acid]
Disulfoton	Trichlorofan
Diuron	Triethanolamine dodecylbenzenesulfonate
Epichlorohydrin	Triethylamine
Ethion	Trimethylamine
Ethylene diamine	Uranium
Ethylene dibromide	Vanadium
Formaldehyde	Vinyl acetate
Furfural	Xylene
Guthion	Xylenol
Isoprene	Zirconium
Isopropanolamine Dodecylbenzenesulfonate	



Waterways

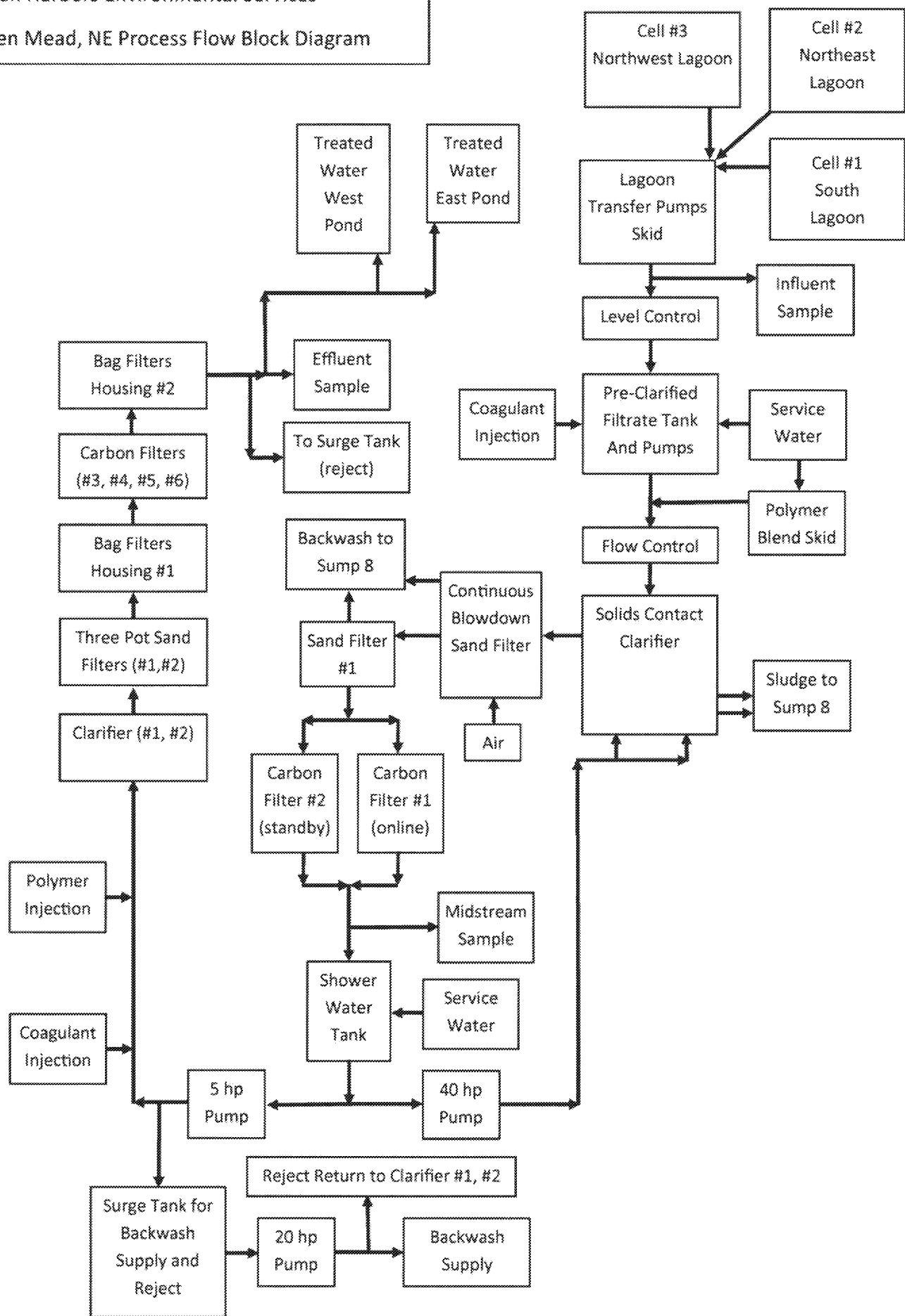
AltEn Lagoons

AltEn Site Boundary



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Project		
AltEn Site Mead, Nebraska		
Two Midtown Plaza 1349 W. Peachtree St. #195 Atlanta, Georgia 30359 Tel. 404-347-8059		
NewFields		
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Clean Harbors Environmental Services
 Alten Mead, NE Process Flow Block Diagram



Attachment 1

Outfall 003

- A Land Application Proposal will be submitted to NDEE that identifies the farms to receive land application will be identified.
- Compliance sampling of effluent: Under the Land Application Proposal to NDEE, composite samples of stored treated water will be analyzed for contemporary pesticides, nutrients, and salts; and NDEE will approve field-specific Best Management Practices (BMP) Plans for each farm. The BMP Plans will include nutrient budgets and will specify the allowed annual quantity of water that would be within nutrient and salt loading thresholds, as well as grams-per-acre thresholds for additional pesticide residues added to each property via land application.
- Land application would be 7 days per week for an average of 5 months per year (March, April, June, October, November).

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Buell, Thomas

From: Don Gunster <dgunster@newfields.com>
Sent: Friday, December 31, 2021 9:07 AM
To: Buell, Thomas
Cc: Tanya Ambrose; Stoll, Hillary; Brian Wellington
Subject: AltEn: NPDES Permit Renewal Application
Attachments: NPDES Permit Renewal 12.30.21.pdf

Tom,

Attached is the NPDES permit renewal application on behalf of AltEn. Please let me know if you any questions regarding this submission.






Thank you,

Don

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